

IT PAYS... TO BUY AT NATHAN'S.

Goods Delivered Free To Any Part of the City.

WE ARE Exclusive Agents For the New Idea PATTERNS.

Price . . 10c

They are equal to any Pattern on the Market.

All the New.... April and May STYLES ON SALE.

1861-GIRLS' APRON, sizes 4, 6, 8, 10 years.
1871-LADIES' SHIRT WAIST, sizes 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32.
1872-LADIES' SHIRT WAIST, sizes 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32.
1873-LADIES' HOUSE GOWN, sizes 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32.

IT PAYS TO BUY AT NATHAN'S CUT PRICE STORE.

STEADILY CLIMBING UPWARD!

Each month records an increase in my business over its predecessor. February exceeded January; March exceeded February, and April must beat them all.

I intend that it shall. Prices, terms, new goods, most recent styles, will do it. The following are some of my prices:

Dining room chairs, high back, cane seat, nicely finished, 65c; sells anywhere else at 75c.

Bedroom suits, 3 feet and 10 inches long, French bevel plate mirror 20x24, washstand 3 feet long; bedstead 6 feet and 4 inches high, the best finish \$15.

Extra size wardrobes, 44 inches wide, 91 inches high, for \$7.50.

Other prices accordingly.

You are cordially asked to call and see them. You will not be asked to buy. We do no urging at this store. The goods and prices do the selling.

I expect to get in a lot of matting which I will sell from \$8 upward.

H. HARRIS,

The Reliable Cheap Furniture Store,
Opposite P. O. BEAUMONT, TEXAS.

265 Fannin street. Telephone No. 63.

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Finest Rubber Tire Funeral Car in City.

Latest styles of Coffins and Caskets always on hand. Full line Cloth and Metallic Caskets. Calls promptly attended to day or night.

Beaumont Racket Store.

Opposite East Texas Telephone Company—ONLY.

4 bars fine laundry soap, 1 box bluing, 1 package Pearlina, 1 package starch and one package Goss Dust (all 5c articles), for 25c.
Waffle irons 60c.
Pretty rose bowls 15c.
2 1-2 gallon fancy painted water coolers, \$1.20.
Large China sugar scoops 15c.
Large China slop jars \$1.20.
Handled China egg cups, per set, 25c.
Our China battleship "Maire" butter dishes at 25c.
3 packages all flavors finest chewing gum for 10c.
3 boxes bluing, 10c.
1 large and fine bar of laundry soap with

a silver teaspoon for 5c.
2 packages of celluloid starch for 15c.
spools thread for 5c.
Fine bicycle lamps 50c.
Ironing boards 25c.
2 burner gasoline stoves \$3.
China sugar bowls 15c.
4 ounce bottle of ladies' finest shoe polish, for 10c.
3 wire egg beaters 5c.
1 1-2 gallon agate wine coolers 35c.
1 1-2 gallon tea kettle, No. 8 stove, only 60c.
Large day books 2c.
Regular dinner booklets 10c.
Meat grinders 50c cheaper than sold elsewhere.

FOR SALE—Six well improved lots, three new cottages and out-houses, good picket fences, for \$2295, \$2990 cash, balance one year. Or two cottages and two lots \$1200, \$650 cash, balance one year. The two are rented for \$19 per month. The six lots are the south half of block 60, Van Worman addition. The whole premises will rent for \$35 per month. Apply on the premises to J. W. Griffin. 44 pl 1m.

Members of the Dixie and Harmony clubs are requested to bring ladies and occupy the floor after 10 p. m. at the fancy dress ball April 10th.

Beaumont Racket Store
Near Caswell's drug store—ONLY.

Railroad Time Table.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

| No. | Route | Leaves | Arrives |
|-------------|----------|-------------|-------------|
| No. 17—East | Rockland | 7:55 a. m. | 8:00 a. m. |
| No. 18—East | Rockland | 10:05 p. m. | 10:10 p. m. |
| No. 19—West | Rockland | 7:35 p. m. | 7:30 p. m. |
| No. 20—West | Rockland | 6:15 a. m. | 6:20 a. m. |

SABINE AND EAST TEXAS.

| No. | Route | Leaves | Arrives |
|-----------------|----------|------------|---------|
| No. 104—Leaves | Rockland | 9:00 a. m. | |
| No. 105—Arrives | Rockland | 4:30 p. m. | |
| No. 112—Leaves | Rockland | 9:30 a. m. | |
| No. 111—Arrives | Rockland | 5:30 p. m. | |

KANSAS CITY, PITTSBURG AND GULF.

| No. | Route | Leaves | Arrives |
|------------------|----------|------------|------------|
| No. 1—To K. C. | Rockland | 8:47 a. m. | 8:47 a. m. |
| No. 2—From K. C. | Rockland | 7:20 p. m. | 7:20 p. m. |

TEXARKANA AND FORT SMITH.

| No. | Route | Leaves | Arrives |
|----------------|----------|------------|---------|
| No. 22—Leaves | Rockland | 4:24 p. m. | |
| No. 21—Arrives | Rockland | 7:45 a. m. | |
| No. 1—Leaves | Rockland | 9:00 a. m. | |
| No. 2—Arrives | Rockland | 6:00 p. m. | |
| No. 3—Leaves | Rockland | 9:00 a. m. | |
| No. 4—Arrives | Rockland | 5:30 p. m. | |

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

GULF AND INTERSTATE.

| No. | Route | Leaves | Arrives |
|----------------|----------|------------|-------------|
| No. 10—Leaves | Rockland | 7:30 a. m. | 6:35 p. m. |
| No. 11—Arrives | Rockland | 3:15 p. m. | 10:50 a. m. |

FIRE ALARM BOXES.

12 Crossed Works.
34 Opp. Reliance Lumber Co., boarding house.
14 C. W. George & Co.
34 Texas Tram and Lumber Co., store.
22 Opp. Beaumont Lumber Co., store.
23 Calder avenue, on W. A. Fletcher's corner
3 Crosby House.
32 Opp. V. Wiess's office.
31 L. R. Boudreau's residence.
34 Beaumont Iron Works.
41 Tex. T. & Lumber Co., dry shed at planer.
42 Opp. V. Wiess's residence.
41 L. R. Boudreau's residence.
51 Convent.
52 Reliance Lumber Co., planer.
53 Reliance Lumber Co., saw mill.
54 Texas Tram and Lumber Co., saw mill.
55 Beaumont Lumber Co., planer.
56 Beaumont Lumber Co., saw mill.
63 Texas Tram and Lumber Co., planer.
64 Texas Tram and Lumber Co., dry kiln.

Visitors From Space.

Whatever be their origin, it would seem that these solid bodies (meteors) are hurtling through space at velocities which may be anything between 10 and 40 miles a second. If they come near enough to this earth to be attracted by it, their course is changed, and presently they enter our atmosphere. The result is a sudden check to their speed, owing to the intense resistance and friction engendered by contact with the air particles.

What happens may be likened to the sudden application of the wooden brake block to the rapidly moving wheel of an express train. Heat is generated in exchange for motion, and the trail of sparks from the checked wheel is represented in the checked meteorite by a luminous trail. We commonly call it a shooting star, and if its mass be small it is possibly altogether dissipated in heat and gas, or it may ultimately find its way to our earth as dust. Such "meteoric dust" has been found on the ordinary type of snow where dust is impossible. If, on the other hand, the mass of matter be large, its surface only will be affected by the sudden heat generated, and it may fall to the ground entire or possibly explode and be scattered in fragments over a wide area.—Chambers' Journal.

The Blue Hole of Kentucky.

One of the places in our neighborhood which is shunned alike by saint and sinner is the old spring near our town, in Logan county, known as the Blue hole. Though legendary, the story I shall relate of this spring is true, for it has been corroborated by the former generation, by the older men of the present century. According to this story, when the Shaker village at South Union was first established by a few venturesome though hardy pioneers, a member of the sect was dispatched on horseback to put the money in a safe in the county capital.

When the treasure bearer reached the spring, he rode his horse in to give it water, but rider and animal were swallowed up, never to rise again. It is said that the Shaker's friends used as much as 500 feet of rope in an attempt to recover the body and coin, but never struck bottom. I myself have heard old men say they have tried to find the bottom of the spring by using hundreds of feet of cord and a lead sinker, but without success.—Auburn (Ky.) News.

Gratitude In Women.

Are feelings of gratitude absent in women? That clever gentleman who does the Private Diary in The Cornhill Magazine is not quite satisfied upon the subject. This is his way of putting it: "As gratitude depends upon imagination, it may well be that women, having less imagination than men, are less grateful. The doctor told me 'intermittent heart' is a not uncommon female ailment." To sugar the pill, however, the diarist says: "In defense of the maligned sex I should like to record a case of gratitude in a woman that left me a little mournful. I had sent Charlotte a book for her birthday last autumn, and at breakfast today she said, 'Oh, thank you for that delightful book you sent me!' 'Oh, I said, 'what was it?' 'Dear me,' said Charlotte, 'I have quite forgotten.'"

Information From a Hostess's Mate.

An American vessel lying at Naples was visited by the king and his suit. One of the latter, with cocked hat, mustache, sword, etc., was exploring the ship and mistook the main hatch wind sail for a mast and leaned against it. The officer of the deck was promptly advised of the accident by the boat-skipper's mate, who said: "Excuse me, sir, but I think one of them 'ere kings has fell down the main hatch, sir."—"On a Man-of-War."

Seaweed.

The longest plants in the world are seaweeds. One tropical and subtropical variety is known which, when it reaches its full development, is at least 600 feet in length. Seaweeds do not receive any nourishment from the sediment at the bottom or borders of the sea, but only from air and mineral matters held in solution in the sea water.

The most offensive thing you can say to a Tuscan is that he is ignorant, or ill bred. You may call him a fool, or a thief, or a liar, and he will only grin at you, but every peasant considers himself a gentleman and desires to run a knife into any one who questions his manners.

Large glass stand lamp, No. 2, usual price 45 cents, only 39 cents at Flowers' Racket Store.

It will only cost you 50 cents to take your sweetheart to the fancy dress ball.

A new lot of trimmed sailors at Mrs. J. Neis.

Fine Japan Seed Rice for sale. Apply at Miller Morris Canal Co., Estherwood, La.

"ON AGAIN," APRIL 30.

Go to the fancy dress ball next Monday night, April 10th.

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Is "By Jingo!" Basque?

Prince L. L. Bonaparte, many years ago, claimed "By jingo" as an English borrowing from the Basques. The Southern Basques say "Bai Jinko," meaning "Yes, God," not "By God" or "Par Dieu." The k would easily become g in the mouth of a foreigner. Basque sailors and soldiers have always been ubiquitous. Some time ago I was at an inn at Larrauna (the thrashing floor) in Soule, where the host, who had gained the queen's medal for service in the French army in the Crimean war, repeated "Bai Jinko" hundreds of times during the day. No doubt the Basques in the time of Rabelais, the first author to put Basque words in print (though he did so rather clumsily) had the same habit. It must always have attracted the attention of foreigners, who would readily imitate it.—Notes and Queries.

Sensible Arrangement.

What Sir Daniel Lyons believes to have been the first case of a settlement of an "affair of honor" on the Duke of Wellington's plan is described by him in his "Early Reminiscences." It occurred in Halifax about the middle of the present century.

One day Captain Evans came to me boiling over with wrath and indignation. He said he had been grossly insulted by Captain Harvey, the governor's son, and begged me to act as his friend. I agreed, provided he promised to do exactly as I told him. He consented.

I called on Captain Harvey's friend, Captain Bourke, and we agreed to abide by the Duke of Wellington's order about dueling, which had just then been promulgated at Halifax.

We carried out our intention as follows: We made each of our principals write out his own version of what had occurred. We then chose an umpire. We selected Colonel Horn of the Twentieth regiment, a man headed and much respected officer. With his approval we sent him the two statements, and he directed us to come to his house the following morning with our principals.

At the appointed time we arrived and were shown into the dining room. We bowed formally to each other across the table and awaited the appearance of our referee. Colonel Horn soon entered, and addressing our principals, said:

"Gentlemen, in the first place, I must thank you for having made my duty so light. Nothing could be more open, generous or gentlemanlike than your statements. The best advice I can give you is that you shake hands and forget that the occurrence has ever happened."

They at once walked up to each other and shook hands cordially. They were the best of friends ever after.

The Girls Blushed Too.

Visitors at the World's fair of 1893 will recall the Indian exhibit or encampment on the shore of the south pond. One of the tents or wigwams was occupied by an athletic and fine looking but somewhat taciturn specimen of young Indian manhood as his own particular home, and while it was open at all proper hours for the inspection of visitors he resented any approach to impertinent curiosity.

A bevy of young women dropped into his tent one day before his usual hour for opening it and found him sewing a rent in a blanket.

"See how he blushes," exclaimed one of the visitors. "We have caught him doing squaw's work."

"Why, that's his natural color," giggled another. "He always blushes."

"Yes, young ladies," said the Indian in perfectly good English, "he blushes for some of the civilized and enlightened white Americans of the nineteenth century."

The visitors joined him in blushing and shortly afterward went out without further remarks.—Youth's Companion.

Storage.

I have a large room, 24x40, where I can store household goods for parties going away for the summer. R. B. Underhill, corner Forsythe street and Railroad avenue.

Have your plumbing work done by H. E. Stephenson. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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GUNTHERS'

Candles are the best when you present a friend with a box you are giving the best money can buy. Sold by S. LEDERER.

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Lost.

A bunch of keys with name tag on. Return to E. Szafir, post office box store.

Try a Salvini Noblesse cigar: 20 cents straight. J. T. Gossett, agent.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

C. H. Finley of Austin is in the city.

Walter M. Hall of Port Arthur was in the city yesterday.

Robert W. Wilson went to Galveston this morning.

J. E. Smith of Call is in the city today.

J. M. Welsh, the Mexican timber man, went to Orange this morning.

Rev. W. P. Pledger, of the M. E. church, is able to be out again after a week's illness.

Frank Alvey, cashier of the First National bank, returned from Galveston last night.

M. H. Underwood of Terry came over Saturday evening and spent Sunday in the city.

W. B. Merriek and wife of Galveston are in the city spending a few days.

R. P. Clark, the dredge man, came in this morning from Galveston.

Sam Park of the Industrial Lumber company came in from the west this morning.

M. Stone, the Sabine Pass drug gist, was in the city this morning on his way home from Houston, where he spent the day yesterday with his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kyle, accompanied by Miss Ruth Wiess and Hamp Stone, went to Wiess bluff Saturday afternoon, where they spent the day yesterday.

To the Public.

We will begin next Monday to have our bargain days regularly, as we did last year, and we solicit your trade and will try and save you some money if you will only call and examine our stock, which is the largest and most complete ever displayed in Beaumont. We also ask the ladies to call and see our dress goods and laces, also ties of all styles, all at prices that will surprise you.

BEAUMONT LUMBER CO.

Mrs. Gay Harold Croom is here from Galveston to organize a dancing class for both adults and children. Fancy dances a specialty. She can be seen at the Park House.

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We also have the cheapest furniture in the city.

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Lone Star Furniture Store.

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Had You Thought

About the advantages of buying your goods where you have the largest stock to select from?

VERY NATURALLY

You get the best under such circumstances, and you get the advantage of better prices by making all your purchases in our store.

My stock was never larger, or more complete, and I have goods that no other merchant can match. Call before making your purchases.

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Fire, River, Marine Insurance.

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